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COUNTRY East Germany SECURITY INFORMATION [REDACTED]
TOPIC Military Information from Gotha 50X1-HUM
EVALUATION [REDACTED] PLACE OBTAINED [REDACTED] 50X1-HUM
DATE OF CONTENT [REDACTED]
DATE OBTAINED [REDACTED] DATE PREPARED 21 July 1953
REFERENCES [REDACTED]
PAGES 1 ENCLOSURES (NO. & TYPE) [REDACTED]
REMARKS [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

On 17 June 1953, motor vehicles [REDACTED] 50X1-HUM
[REDACTED] were seen proceeding from the direction of Langensalza toward
Gotha. Motor vehicles observed proceeding in the same direction on 18
June included sedan [REDACTED] amphibious car [REDACTED] and 50X1-HUM
trucks [REDACTED] 50X1-HUM
Trucks seen on 19 June coming from the direction of Erfurt and proceeding
toward Gotha [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] All vehicles carried
soldiers who wore red-bordered black epaulets. On 22 June, trucks [REDACTED] 50X1-HUM
[REDACTED] were seen proceeding in the same direction.
The workers of the LDWA and RAB, went on strike on 18 June. The plants
involved were occupied by Soviet soldiers.

[REDACTED] Comment. The vehicles mentioned belong to the 3th Gds Army, most
of them to the 57th Gds Mtz Rifle Div. They were probably used for the
patrolling of smaller posts in the area.

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